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## Birkhead Demands Probe of Firms Sending Royalties to Germany

*Click* first told, and we reprinted, the story of Rohm & Haas Co. of Philadelphia, which sends royalties to Germany on its plexiglas patents (used for bomber noses and gun blister shells). Now, according to L. M. Birkhead, national director of Friends of Democracy, Inc., Rohm & Haas "has made application for U. S. tax money (under Section 124 of the Second Revenue Act of 1940) to finance further expansion of their business—a business which directs a constant stream of revenue to Germany." Mr. Birkhead wrote to Representative A. J. Sabath (D., Ill.) demanding an investigation of all U. S. manufacturers of war materials who pay royalties to German firms.